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Gentlemen:

Enclosed is the final treatability test report for the High Gradient Magnetic Separation (HGMS) test work conducted on soil samples taken at Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site. The transmittal of this final report is partial fulfillment of the November 12, 1994, milestone for the Site Wide Treatability Studies program.

The objective of the study focused on the removal of plutonium and other radionuclides from selected soil samples at Rocky Flats. The test work was carried out during the spring and summer of 1994 and was performed by Los Alamos National Laboratory. Based on the results of this test work, HGMS showed some possibility of successfully concentrating plutonium into a smaller fraction of the soil. However, additional testing would be required to optimize the application of HGMS to Rocky Flats soils.

The Department of Energy requests that you acknowledge the receipt of this report prior to January 13, 1995. If you have any questions please contact Norma Castaneda at extension 4226.

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